



Postal Service Customer Questionnaire

1. Please check the appropriate box to indicate whether you use the LEONARDSVILLE Post Office for each of the following:

Postal Services

	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Never
a. Buying Stamps	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Mailing Letters	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. Mailing Parcels	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. Pick up Post Office box mail	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. Pick up general delivery mail	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. Buying money orders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
g. Obtaining special services, including Certified Mail, Registered Mail, Insured Mail, Delivery Confirmation, or Signature Confirmation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
h. Sending Express Mail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
i. Buying stamp-collecting material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other Postal Services

- a. Entering permit mailings ☐ YES ☐ NO
- b. Resetting/using postage meter ☐ YES ☐ NO

Nonpostal Services

- a. Picking up government forms (such as tax forms) ☒ YES ☐ NO
- b. Using for school bus stop ☐ YES ☒ NO
- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☐ YES ☐ NO

- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

Bridge Water - West Waverly



- If you have carrier delivery, there will be no change to your delivery service — proceed to question 4. If you currently receive Post Office box service or general delivery service, complete this section. How do you think carrier route delivery service will compare to your current service?

☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☒ No Opinion

☐ Worse

If yes, please explain:

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?



Shopping



Personal needs



Banking



Employment



Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What Business

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name:

Wood

Address:

PO Box 46 Leonardsville

Telephone:

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Date:

4/27/11

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Nonpostal Services

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If yes, please explain:

d. Using public bulletin board	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
e. Other	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO

If yes, please explain:

For such a small community it is a great way to stay connected

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
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If yes, please explain:

Usually while running errands



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☐ Better

☒ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☐ Worse

If yes, please explain:

this isn't worked properly.

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Shopping



Personal needs



Banking



Employment



Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?



Yes



No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?



Yes



No

Name:

ELIZABETH WELLS

Address:

PO Box 98 LEONARDSVILLE, NY 13364

Telephone:

315. 794. 9711

Date:

4/25/11

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Postal Services

a. Buying Stamps

Daily ☐ ^{Semi} Weekly ☒ Monthly ☐ Never ☐

b. Mailing Letters

☐ ☒ ☐ ☐

c. Mailing Parcels

☐ ☐ ☒ ☐

d. Pick up Post Office box mail

☒ ☐ ☐ ☐

e. Pick up general delivery mail

☒ ☐ ☐ ☐

f. Buying money orders

☐ ☐ ☐ ☒

g. Obtaining special services, including Certified Mail, Registered Mail, Insured Mail, Delivery Confirmation, or Signature Confirmation

☐ ☐ ☒ ☐

h. Sending Express Mail

☐ ☐ ☒ ☐

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b. Using for school bus stop

☐ YES ☒ NO

c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc.

☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

d. Using public bulletin board

☒ YES ☐ NO

e. Other

☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

I PASS Bridgewater Post office Too Early IN THE morning & Too Late AT NIGHT TO pick up my MAIL. I would find this almost impossible. I HAVE Received my mail for over 50yrs AT Leonardsville & Feel this is A great INconvenience for many people- especially the older people IN our Community. let's face facts we DO NOT HAVE A new post office with a huge PARKING LOT & lots of space. OUR post office has to be A very SMALL overhead Compared To others.



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☐ No Opinion

☒ Worse

If yes, please explain: My MAIL IS protected until picked up
NOW + would NOT Be with Delivery.

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?

☒ Shopping

☒ Personal needs

☒ Banking - Direct Deposit

☒ Employment

☒ Social needs

I Travel To UTICA
until NEXT year +
AT that time this
would NOT happen
every DAY But maybe
1 X week

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Name: Rosemary Taylor

Address: P.O. Box 32 11299 North St. Leonardsville NY 13364

Telephone: (315) 855-4188

Date: 4/22/11

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Please Reconsider closing our
post office THAT HAS been the
center of our community Forever.



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| c. Mailing Packages | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
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| f. Buying money orders | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
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Other Postal Services

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|----------------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| a. Entering permit mailings | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| b. Resetting/using postage meter | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |

Nonpostal Services

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| c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |

If yes, please explain:

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|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| d. Using public bulletin board | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| e. Other | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |

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☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

W. Winfield } MILES
or Bridgewater } Away



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☒ Shopping

☒ Personal needs

☒ Banking

☐ Employment

☐ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name:

N. Landphure

Address:

PO Box Leonardsville

Telephone:

Date:

4-26-11

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- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

I pass Bridgewater P.O.



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☒ Banking

☒ Employment

☒ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Name:

Derek Davenport

Address:

P.O. Box 71 Leonardsville NY 13364

Telephone:

(315) 855-4299

Date:

4/23/2011

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If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☐ YES ☒ NO

- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

Because of our work hrs. we are only able to pick our mail up @ the office once during the week and Saturday's. I usually send our mail out @ the office in Chadwick's N.Y. I would not have a problem with the closing of Leonardsville post office and using Briarcliff as our postal service! Thank you



3. If you have carrier delivery, there will be no change to your delivery service — proceed to question 4. If you currently receive Post Office box service or general delivery service, complete this section. How do you think carrier route delivery service will compare to your current service?

☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☒ No Opinion

☐ Worse

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Shopping



Personal needs



Banking



Employment



Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name:

Brian K Chase

Address:

PO Box 103 Leonardsville NY 13364

Telephone:

315-717-8655 or 315-717-8656

Date:

4-25-11

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- e. Other ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

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☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

Route 8 Bridge water, N.Y. - West Winfield Rt. 20



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If yes, please explain:

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these
services?

☒ Shopping 10-18 miles Waterville + Utica

☒ Personal needs Basic - 10 to 18 mi.

☒ Banking West Winfield (9 miles)

☐ Employment Retired

☐ Social needs 94 yrs. of age - not many needs!

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☒ No

None available in town - only P.O.
None available in town.

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name: Paul A. Brown

Address: 2441 Rt. 8 Leonardsville N.Y. 13364 P.O. Box 154

Telephone: 315-855-7521

Date: 4-21-11

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If yes, please explain:

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☒ YES ☐ NO

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☐ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☒ Worse

If yes, please explain: maintenance of letter box

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☒ Shopping

☒ Personal needs

☒ Banking

☐ Employment

☒ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Name: DAVID WARD

Address: Box 136

Telephone: 315-855-7516

Date: 4/20-11

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Leonardsville won't have anything left.
School is closing too!



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Other Postal Services

- a. Entering permit mailings ☒ YES ☐ NO
- b. Resetting/using postage meter ☐ YES ☒ NO

Nonpostal Services

- a. Picking up government forms (such as tax forms) ☒ YES ☐ NO
- b. Using for school bus stop ☐ YES ☒ NO
- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO
- e. Other ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:



3. If you have carrier delivery, there will be no change to your delivery service — proceed to question 4. If you currently receive Post Office box service or general delivery service, complete this section. How do you think carrier route delivery service will compare to your current service?

☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☒ No Opinion

☐ Worse

If yes, please explain:

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?

☒ Shopping

☒ Personal needs

☐ Banking

☐ Employment

☒ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Date:

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Postal Service Customer Questionnaire

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d. Pick up Post Office box mail	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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f. Buying money orders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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☒ Banking

☒ Employment

☒ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Name:

R. Nollen

Address:

193 County Highway 19 - PO Box 199

Telephone:

315 855 4654

Date:

4-24-11.

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Other Postal Services

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Nonpostal Services

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- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

Husband Visually Impaired (Blind) Receive Books on Tape from P.O

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO
- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

ONCE A MONTH Food shopping Utica



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☒ Better

☐ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☐ Worse

If yes, please explain: Senior citizens 80 & 82 yrs old. In the winter mail held in P.O. for better driving conditions to Post office - we live 1 1/2 miles from - P.O.

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☒ Shopping

Utica

☒ Personal needs

Drs. - Utica

☒ Banking

New Berlin

☐ Employment

☒ Social needs

church New Berlin

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name:

Russell a mildred Sirkki

Address:

P.O. Box 145
10901 Hwy Rd, Leonardsville, N.Y. 13364

Telephone:

315-855-4316

Date:

4/22/11

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Other Postal Services

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Nonpostal Services

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If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO
- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

BRIDGEWATER N.Y.



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☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☐ Worse

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services?



Shopping



Personal needs



Banking



Employment



Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?



Yes



No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?



Yes



No

Name:

SCOTT WEAVER

Address:

PO Box 226 LEONARDSVILLE N.Y 13364

Telephone:

315-855-5024

Date:

4-21-2011

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complete this questionnaire.

ITS ASHAME THAT YOU WOULD EVEN CONSIDER
CLOSING LEONARDSVILLE POST OFFICE. THATS MORE OF
AN INCONVIENCE TO ALL THAT LIVE IN TOWN.,



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Other Postal Services

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Nonpostal Services

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- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☐ YES ☒ NO
- e. Other ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

Bridgewater P.O.



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☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☒ No Opinion

☐ Worse

If yes, please explain:

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?

- ☒ Shopping Utica, N.Y.
- ☒ Personal needs Utica, N.Y.
- ☒ Banking Utica, N.Y.
- ☒ Employment New Berlin, N.Y.
- ☐ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name: Melinda WARD

Address: P.O. Box 64, Leonardsville, New York 13364

Telephone: (315) 855-4195

Date: 4-21-11

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Other Postal Services

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Nonpostal Services

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If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO
- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

Community Events

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

Yes, pass several on way to work - not always convenient



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☒ Better

☐ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☐ Worse

If yes, please explain:

Have others use my key to get my mail
P.O. closed when I get home - leave at 7am and get home
in evening. Mail with stamps before I leave. Pam at Drop Box.

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these
services?

☒ Shopping Utica

☒ Personal needs Utica

☒ Banking Utica

☒ Employment Utica and Leonardsville

☐ Social needs local + Utica

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name: Rev James E Fletcher (Personal + Church Mail)

Address: PO Box 198

Telephone: 315-855-4123

Date: 4/21/2011

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Other Postal Services

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Nonpostal Services

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If yes, please explain:

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If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:



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☐ Personal needs

☒ Banking

☐ Employment

☐ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Name:

Margaret ~ Gordon Hughes

Address:

PO # 22 11291 Mill Street Leonardsville NY 13364

Telephone:

315-855-7519

Date:

4/21/2011

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If yes, please explain:

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☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

BRIDEWATER PO IS CLOSED DURING MY COMUTE TIMES



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If yes, please explain: CONCERNED W/ SAFETY & SECURITY OF MAIL.
I RECEIVE CUSTOMER PMTS THRU MAIL.

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Shopping	<u>UTICA, NEW HARTFORD</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Personal needs	<u>UTICA, LOOPERSTOWN, NEW HARTFORD</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Banking	<u>UTICA, WEST WINFIELD</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Employment	<u>UTICA</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Social needs	<u>VARIOUS</u>

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☐ Yes ☐ No N/A

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name:

PATRICK SHIELDS

Address:

P.O. Box 234, LEONARDSVILLE, NY 13364

Telephone:

315-855-7841 (H) 315-725-9498-(C)

Date:

4/21/2011

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If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO
- e. Other ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

Bridgewater



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Other Postal Services

a. Entering permit mailings	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
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Nonpostal Services

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b. Using for school bus stop	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

If yes, please explain:

d. Using public bulletin board	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
e. Other	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

P.O.'s all over - many on travel routes



3. If you have carrier delivery, there will be no change to your delivery service — proceed to question 4. If you currently receive Post Office box service or general delivery service, complete this section. How do you think carrier route delivery service will compare to your current service?

☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☐ Worse

If yes, please explain: Switched to rural delivery 10/2009. It's great!

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?

☒ Shopping

☒ Personal needs

☒ Banking

☐ Employment

☒ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No church, fire department

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Name: Eileen Parslow

Address: 6271 Co. Hwy. 18 W. Winfield NY 13491

Telephone: 315-855-7626

Date: 04/29/11

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Nonpostal Services

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- b. Using for school bus stop ☐ YES ☒ NO
- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO

- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

OCCASIONALLY, BUT IT'S FAR LESS CONVENIENT THAN LOCAL POST OFFICE, TO WHICH WE CAN WALK.

* It is the only way to publicize anything directly in town!

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3. Post Office box service or general delivery service, complete this section. How do you think carrier route delivery service
will compare to your current service?

☐ Better ☐ Just as Good ☐ No Opinion ☒ Worse

If yes, please explain: ITEMS LARGER THAN OUR BOX WILL REQUIRE A TRIP
OUT OF TOWN.

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these
services?

☒ Shopping WEST WINFIELD, WASHINGTON MILLS, NEW HARTFORD
☐ Personal needs
☒ Banking WEST WINFIELD, NEW HARTFORD
☒ Employment ROME (ALSO LEONARDSVILLE)
☒ Social needs WEST WINFIELD, NEW HARTFORD (ALSO LEONARDSVILLE)

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Name: SCOTT & WENDY BARRETT

Address: ~~100~~ P.O. Box 220, LEONARDSVILLE, NY 13364

Telephone: 315 855-1403

Date: 4/29/2011

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complete this questionnaire.

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Nonpostal Services

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- b. Using for school bus stop ☐ YES ☒ NO
- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

I pick up the mail for another person

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO
- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs? ☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

I do now but will retire soon - then I won't be going past a P.O.

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☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☒ Worse

If yes, please explain:

I probably wouldn't be able to get my mail early in the morning, or buy a stamp if I discover I'm out, and I'd have to travel to mail.

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?

☒ Shopping *P.C.H. in Richfield or sometimes Utica Package*

☒ Personal needs *West. Wfield or Utica*

☒ Banking *Edmeston*

☒ Employment *Morrisville now - soon to retire*

☐ Social needs *family is nearby*

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No

The post of.

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

What business? none here except the bar

Name: *Carol C. C. Lewis*

Address: *P.O. Box 34 1815 School St. Leonardsville*

Telephone: *(315) 855-7842* *NY 13364*

Date: *4/28/11*

Please add any additional comments on a separate piece of paper and attach it to this form. Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.

Sorry to be absent this A.M. I have a 9 A.M. class in Morrisville.

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- b. Using for school bus stop ☐ YES ☒ NO
- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

(this question is unclear)

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO
- e. Other ☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

social contact - community unity

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

but NOT on a daily basis - nor do I pass the same PO since I go in different directions for various errands.



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☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☒ Worse

If yes, please explain:

① I expect to get more mail than would be feasibly put in a mailbox ② I have no place to put a box for safety reasons & for snow removal reasons

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?

- ☒ Shopping New Hartford, New Berlin
- ☐ Personal needs
- ☐ Banking
- ☐ Employment
- ☐ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Name:

ROBERTA WRATTEN

Address:

PO Box 182, 13364

Telephone:

315 855-7807

Date:

4/29/11

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If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO
- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

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☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

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☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☒ Worse

If yes, please explain:

There is no place to put a RR box by our house.

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these
services?



Shopping



Personal needs



Banking



Employment



Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?



Yes



No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?



Yes



No

Name: KINGSLEY WRATTEN

Address: PO BOX 182 LEONARDSVILLE N.Y. 13364

Telephone: 315 855 7807

Date: MAY 24 2001

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complete this questionnaire.

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Brian Shepardson
Manager, Post Office Operations
30 Karner Rd.
Albany, NY 12288-9992

April 29, 2011

Dear Mr. Shepardson,

We thank you and your colleagues for your patience in listening to Leonardsville voices this morning at our Leonardsville Post Office. We hope you will consider the many voices who were not present. Yes, they had a chance to be represented by filling out the "questionnaires", but please note in your report to Washington that the questions on that survey do not address many of the customers' issues, which are best expressed in person. Therefore, we ask for another meeting at a time when more citizens can attend.

We hope your report will reflect the wide cross-section of citizens at the meeting and that you will record that all but one voice was in favor of keeping our post office open. We would like to see a "change in the way our postal service is run" by making the USPS accountable "at the top" rather than closing small town, rural post offices. The notable exception to the community viewpoint was that of the last Postmaster of Leonardsville, who predicted to all of us that her retirement would spell the end of our Post Office. She receives her mail by rural delivery.

Other responders at the meeting represented the firemen, the Leonardsville Community Service Committee, the Upper Unadilla Valley Association, the churches, the businessmen, farmers, and the environmental concerns of all residents.

We realize now that our representation in Washington depends in great part on your report. We urge you to express the unique probability of increased volume (and hopefully, revenue) from the proposals we presented to you concerning the revitalization of Leonardsville. Please mention our goal of an NEA Small Town revitalization grant. Please stress that the success of the Horned Dorset Colony is based on the success and the world-class, world-wide reputation of The Horned Dorset Inn and The Horned Dorset Primavera Hotel over the last 34 years. The Horned Dorset will be sponsoring the artists' residency program.

We will be sending copies of this letter to elected officials and to Edward Phelan (along with petitions). Again, thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Roberta Wratten, Box 182, Leonardsville, NY 13364
cc. Edward Phelan

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April 26, 2011

To: Brian Shepardson
Manager, Post Office Operations
30 Karner Rd.
Albany, NY, 12288 – 9992

From: Lysle Jones, Fire Chief
Leonardsville Fire Company, Inc.
PO Box 185
Leonardsville, NY 13364 – 0185

Re: Possible closure of the Leonardsville Post Office

Dear Mr. Shepardson,

The Leonardsville Fire Company utilizes the Leonardsville Post Office for the following services:


- 1) Fire Company receives several packages monthly through this office
- 2) Fire Company mails out packages through this office
- 3) Fire Company mails out letters & payments of it's bills through this office
- 4) Purchase our postage stamps through this office
- 5) Receives and sends out registered / certified letters through this office
- 6) Utilize the Community bulletin board
- 7) Security In today's society, it's important that any packages being received are secure.

Closing of the Leonardsville Post Office will cause an undue hardship and inconvenience on the Leonardsville Fire Company. Closing the Leonardsville Post Office will force us to travel to the Bridgewater Post Office to obtain services from the USPS. Not only will this require more of our time, but, it also adds an additional fuel expense.

In closing, I am asking that the United States Postal Service keep the Leonardsville Post Office open.

Thank you for your time regarding this matter.

Sincerely,



Lysle Jones, Chief
Leonardsville Fire Company, Inc.

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Brian Shepardson
Manager, Post Office Operations
30 Karner Road
Albany, NY 12288-9992

Wendy Barrett
P.O. Box 220
Leonardsville, NY 13364-0220

Dear Brian,

May 2, 2011

Thank you for taking time to visit the Leonardsville Post Office on April 29 to hear residents' concerns regarding the potential closing of that particular office.

My husband Scott and I have lived in the hamlet of Leonardsville in this scenic rural valley for nearly 22 years. As you are probably aware, such beautiful locations tend to come with some drawbacks. We have to drive greater distances for many basic needs, including shopping, employment and other necessities.

That's why we appreciate the easy walking distance to our centrally located post office. It provides us with a daily opportunity not only to buy postal supplies and retrieve or send letters and packages, but also to meet and chat with neighbors we might not see regularly. This interaction keeps our hamlet alive with a real sense of community.

Take the post office away, and Leonardsville will lose its only basic service and daily meeting center, striking another blow to our already weakened rural economy.

How can our hamlet—or any rural community, for that matter—successfully pursue business or residential rejuvenation without such a basic service as a post office? Several new and planned businesses here rely on the convenience of our local post office for their success.

Beyond my concerns as a resident, I also have several points to share as a member-director of the Upper Unadilla Valley Association (UUVA). This non-profit organization has worked for more than three decades to preserve and protect the Upper Unadilla Valley's natural and historic resources. The post office is one of those resources and provides a great use for such an historic building.

Please consider the following:

- The Leonardsville Post Office provides service not only for its local box holders, but also for residents who have non-Leonardsville zip codes on the other side of the valley. New York Central Mutual Insurance Company employees in Edmeston also use our office as they return home from their jobs.
- This postal location helps the aforementioned users save fuel. Requiring everyone to drive farther (to Bridgewater, as proposed) for their postal services only will increase

our energy use. With the rising cost of gasoline and other energy demands, this is not a trend we should be pursuing.

- The post office provides convenient accessibility for the poor and elderly. Many of the latter are unable to drive long distances or any distance at all and depend on the post office for medication deliveries and package mailing.
- Current hours of operation make it difficult for some people to use the post office either before or after work. It's likely that more people would use this facility if window hours were changed for earlier and later periods each day. This could be done on alternate days, reducing overall daily postal hours to save costs.
- The post office is located along state Route 8, a fairly busy roadway on weekday mornings and afternoons. Changing the office's hours of operation would benefit not only local residents but also the traveling public and potentially increase the office's volume of business.
- Access to this post office is safer than that of the one five miles north on Route 8 in Bridgewater, where the postal parking lot entrance is dangerously close to a traffic light at the busy intersection of routes 8 and 20.
- The UUVA and other local organizations, such as the Leonardsville Community Service Committee, use the post office for a variety of services. They also regularly post event announcements on the office's community bulletin board – one of the most effective ways to share such information with local residents.
- The post office is one of the last public entities of a once vibrant community. Closing it would only serve to further harm the economy of rural Upstate New York. People tend to want to live where there are at least some basic services, and closing the post office will remove one of the last basic services available.
- Closing the post office also is likely to create yet another empty building in our hamlet, which may further drive down local property values and reduce the area's attractiveness to potential new residents and businesses.
- The post office is the last main community meeting place left in Leonardsville. There is no other place for residents of all ages to regularly meet and greet each other daily or weekly.

We ask you to help us preserve our hope for reviving the economic and social benefits of small-town living. Please urge the Postal Service to keep our post office open for the benefit of its residents and their struggling rural economy. Thank you.

Sincerely,



Wendy L. Barrett

April 29, 2011, Leonardsville PO "open house" with Brian Shepardson (Utica and Albany)
Also present, David Moore, Postmaster, Manlius, and Eva Gigon, Postmaster, Fayetteville

Nadine will send us a copy of Mr. Shepardson's report.

Summary of points made:

The Leonardsville Post Office has historical significance, the town, in fact, being named for the 1st Post Office in the first store. The building also has historical significance and is located adjacent to three National Register properties.

The livability and survival of Leonardsville depends on the Post Office as "hub". This was stressed over and over and over by all residents.

The security of mail left in rural post boxes is an issue to residents.

If townspeople must drive 10 miles round-trip to the suggested Bridgewater PO, many will be DEPRIVED of daily mail service for various reasons (cost of gas, do not drive, inconvenience). Once again, it is "the elderly and the poor who are deprived of services". Many of these residents do not have internet access to USPS services. (Madison county is one of if not the poorest county in the state of NY) "It is the social responsibility of the government to keep rural Post Offices open."

If we have to go to Bridgewater for mail (or are forced to use rural delivery) many residents will stop using USPS and turn to online and other delivery services. Thus the USPS will lose more customers - "the domino effect" - Poor marketing techniques by the USPS - "setting itself up for failure".

Our Post Office would be more efficient and would serve more customers if the hours (early morning, late afternoon) were more convenient - not more hours, but adjusted hours, perhaps fewer hours and open early on some days, late on other days. This point was stressed over and over.

Representative of the environmental and historical conservation organization, the Upper Unadilla Valley Association, stressed how important the PO is as a center for residents to meet, to disseminate information, and for the survival of the town. Having no Post Office discourages any new business, any new residents.

Safety was a significant issue, mentioned many times. Many roads, houses, do not have a place where a postal box could be put that would be safe for the resident or the mail carrier. Snow removal and access to the boxes during winter months would be a HUGE problem.

There was discussion about this Post Office losing money. It takes in about \$23 - 24,000. Operational cost are about \$83,000. It was pointed out that the USPS was not set up to make money. It was also pointed out that the cost of renting, maintaining the building and the salaries are not the big problem. The cost of pre-funding benefits (required by the government) is seen as a large part of the problem. "Thus, the rural poor are deprived and big business wins." It was mentioned that there was a quotable figure that .06% of the USPS budget would be saved by closing rural Post Offices.

The question was raised, "What other things are being done to cut costs besides closing POs?" Mr. Shepardson replied, "Cutting districts."

Citizens spoke up as (and for) local businesses, proposed businesses, churches, firemen, the fire district, local organizations, schools, veterans, expressing how much the Post Office means to them both for postal service and as a place to disseminate information and an identity for the community. It was mentioned how important the PO was for sending packages to servicemen overseas.

The proposed Horned Dorset Colony, to open in the spring of 2012, is predicted (on the basis of similar artist residencies throughout the US) to produce a large volume of mail: application packets, scholarship packets, information packets, packages containing work samples - actual samples and CDs, letters of recommendation, etc. etc. etc. Having no local PO would be a GREAT hardship.

It was stressed that this is the only PO on Route 8 for many, many miles which has easy and safe access.

It was asked, "How can we make it work?" There was discussion about short, more efficient hours, keeping the boxes open when a postal employee is not in attendance by putting in a lockable screen, and the regulations for the PO to be housed in a store or other business and the "regulations and bonding issues" for non-postal employees.

Another question, "Where does the money come from for the PO deficit?" (Not really answered)

It was asked, "How much weight will the meeting and the "questionnaires" have in the decision? The answer by Mr. Shepardson explained the procedure that was outlined in his letter to boxholders.

To the question, "What can we do?", Shepardson advised that we find unique reasons to keep our Post Office open. He stressed that every other small community wants to keep their PO for the same reasons: identity, for the elderly and poor, because of the price of gasoline, etc. Our hope would be from being different.

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May 10, 2011

Memo to the record. 5/4/11 at 9:21 am, I received a call from James Gould of Leonardsville, at (315) 855-4460.

I returned his call on 05/10/2011 at 10:00 am. Mr. Gould represents veterans of the American Legion. Mr. Gould received the response to his questionnaire and said it stated he was concerned about mail security. He felt it did not address his issues.

He had the following concerns; followed by my responses:

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We do regret the inconvenience to customers who would like, but cannot receive, early mail delivery. For those customers we offer alternative delivery services, such as post office box service or window caller service, that provide access to their mail earlier and throughout the day.

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Post Office Review Coordinator

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May 10, 2011

James Gould
PO Box 173
Leonardsville NY 13364

In response to your phone call on May 4, 2011, and follow up return call on May 10, 2011, the following are responses to your concerns regarding the Leonardsville feasibility study conducted by the US Postal Service.

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RE: Item 38
Copies of Returned
Postal Service
Customer
Questionnaires and
Comment Forms
received during 60
day comment period.

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Postal Service Customer Questionnaire

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Postal Services	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Never
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c. Mailing Parcels	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. Pick up Post Office box mail	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. Pick up general delivery mail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
f. Buying money orders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
g. Obtaining special services, including Certified Mail, Registered Mail, Insured Mail, Delivery Confirmation, or Signature Confirmation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
h. Sending Express Mail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
i. Buying stamp-collecting material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other Postal Services

- a. Entering permit mailings ☐ YES ☒ NO
- b. Resetting/using postage meter ☐ YES ☒ NO

Nonpostal Services

- a. Picking up government forms (such as tax forms) ☐ YES ☒ NO
- b. Using for school bus stop ☐ YES ☒ NO
- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board

☒ YES ☐ NO

- e. Other

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

Post organizational meeting information for non-profit groups
Purchase mailing supplies etc. boxes, bags, tape, mailing envelope

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

Pass other offices when shopping in area stores

Purchase gasoline, groceries, etc.

→ read notices of local government events & information concerning residents of the community, This P.O. is the only location where these notices can be posted.

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- If you have carrier delivery, there will be no change to your delivery service — proceed to question 4. If you currently receive
3. Post Office box service or general delivery service, complete this section. How do you think carrier route delivery service will compare to your current service?

☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☒ Worse

If yes, please explain:

I know my mail is secure in the P.O. building.
A curbside box does not give that security. In winter snowplow
unintentionally knock down these boxes

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?

☒ Shopping Mail order and New Hartford

☒ Personal needs New Hartford

☒ Banking New Hartford and West Winfield

NA ☐ Employment

☒ Social needs Leonardsville and surrounding communities

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

NA ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name: Jean C. Davis

Address: P.O. Box 86 Leonardsville N.Y. 13364-0086

Telephone: 315) 855-7523

Date: 4/29/11

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Why establish a rural route out of the Bridgewater office when West Edmeston and West Winfield already have delivery routes coming within 1 mi, each of Leonardsville? It appears this would increase the level of the Bridgewater Office resulting in a higher pay level of the Postmaster. Is this saving money? Also it has been stated Leonardsville box holders could rent boxes in Bridgewater. Does not this also contribute to increasing the level of that office?

Some local organizations need a Leonardsville postmark for legal purposes. How will this problem be solved if mail is dispatched from Bridgewater?

Perhaps better publicity would help to restore business to the post office. Stress the security of letter mail as opposed to the Internet. There is no privacy using the Internet.

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e. Pick up general delivery mail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. Buying money orders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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h. Sending Express Mail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
i. Buying stamp-collecting material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other Postal Services

- a. Entering permit mailings ☐ YES ☒ NO
- b. Resetting/using postage meter ☐ YES ☒ NO

Nonpostal Services

- a. Picking up government forms (such as tax forms) ☒ YES ☐ NO
- b. Using for school bus stop ☐ YES ☒ NO
- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board

☒ YES ☐ NO

- e. Other

☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

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will compare to your current service?

☐ Better ☐ Just as Good ☐ No Opinion ☒ Worse

If yes, please explain:

*no way do I stop, mail things (Boxes) as needed without going
or finding another P.O. open — driving to*

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these
services?

☒ Shopping *in 166 yr old still*
☐ Personal needs *work so I do all*
☒ Banking *I'd areas while*
☒ Employment *going or coming from work 8-5*
☐ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☒ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: *315-855-7840*

Date: *04/30/11*



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d. Pick up Post Office box mail	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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f. Buying money orders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Other Postal Services

- a. Entering permit mailings ☐ YES ☐ NO ?
- b. Resetting/using postage meter ☐ YES ☒ NO

Nonpostal Services

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- b. Using for school bus stop ☐ YES ☒ NO
- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board

☒ YES ☐ NO

- e. Other

☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

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3. Post Office box service or general delivery service, complete this section. How do you think carrier route delivery service will compare to your current service?

☐ Better ☐ Just as Good ☐ No Opinion ☐ Worse

If yes, please explain:

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?

☒ Shopping New Hartford once every 2 weeks
☐ Personal needs
☒ Banking New Hartford once every 2 weeks
☐ Employment
☐ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name: Karen Chilson City Rt 19

Address: PO Box 41 Leonardsville NY 13364

Telephone: _____

Date: 4/21/11

Please add any additional comments on a separate piece of paper and attach it to this form. Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.

With the cost of gas I find it very inconvenient to make a trip to Bridgewater and back. A rural home delivery of mail or reducing days or hours of Leonardsville Post office would be much more efficient.



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c. Mailing Parcels	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. Pick up Post Office box mail	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. Pick up general delivery mail - <i>not sure of the difference</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. Buying money orders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Other Postal Services

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Nonpostal Services

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- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO

- e. Other ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs? ☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

I work in the Utica Area. I pass the Brigewater Post Office.



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3. Post Office box service or general delivery service, complete this section. How do you think carrier route delivery service will compare to your current service?

☒ Better ☐ Just as Good ☐ No Opinion ☐ Worse

If yes, please explain: Sometimes we can't get to pick up our mail often because of the hours. It'd be nice to have the mail delivered daily.

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?

☒ Shopping New Hartford
☒ Personal needs New Hartford / Cooperstown
☒ Banking New Hartford
☒ Employment New Hartford / Cooperstown
☒ Social needs Utica Area / Cooperstown Area

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Name: Brenda Rogowski
Address: P.O. Box 216 11293 Center St Leonardsville NY 13364
Telephone: (315) 404-3196
Date: 5/2/11

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- b. Using for school bus stop ☐ YES ☒ NO
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If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board

☒ YES ☐ NO

- e. Other

☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

ONCE A WEEK WITH SOME
EXCEPTIONS

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3. If you have carrier delivery, there will be no change to your delivery service — proceed to question 4. If you currently receive Post Office box service or general delivery service, complete this section. How do you think carrier route delivery service will compare to your current service?

☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☐ Worse

If yes, please explain:

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- ☒ Shopping GROCERIES WESTWINGFIELD
☐ Personal needs
☐ Banking
☐ Employment
☐ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name: ALBERT W. STARKWEATHER
RUTH E. STARKWEATHER
Address: PO Box 217 LEONARDSVILLE NY 13364
11217 E. CENTRAL
Telephone: 315-855-7854

Date: MAY 3, 2011

Please add any additional comments on a separate piece of paper and attach it to this form. Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.



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If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☐ YES ☒ NO

- e. Other ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

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☒ Social needs

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☒ Yes ☒ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Name: Nicole Dauchy

Address: P.O. Box 124 Leonardsville NY 13364

Telephone: (315) 855-7630

Date: 4/25/2011

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complete this questionnaire.

I live in Leonardsville. I donot have a choice now as you
know, I am forced to have a P.O. Box. I find the Post Office
very inconvenient. I check the mail once a week because Post Office
is not open after I get home from work. I would
Choose ~~for~~ Carrier delivery!



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d. Pick up Post Office box mail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☐ YES ☒ NO

- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

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If yes, please explain:



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☒ Shopping Utica, West Winfield
☒ Personal needs same
☒ Banking Edmeston
☐ Employment
☐ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☐ Yes ☒ No

There aren't any

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name:

Ralph O. Maine

Address:

2001 Main Street, Box 146, Leonardsville

Telephone:

Date:

5/6/2011

Please add any additional comments on a separate piece of paper and attach it to this form. Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.



Postal Service Customer Questionnaire

1. Please check the appropriate box to indicate whether you use the LEONARDSVILLE Post Office for each of the following:

Postal Services	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Never
a. Buying Stamps	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Mailing Letters	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. Mailing Parcels	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. Pick up Post Office box mail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. Pick up general delivery mail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. Buying money orders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
g. Obtaining special services, including Certified Mail, Registered Mail, Insured Mail, Delivery Confirmation, or Signature Confirmation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
h. Sending Express Mail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
i. Buying stamp-collecting material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Other Postal Services

- a. Entering permit mailings ☐ YES ☒ NO
- b. Resetting/using postage meter ☐ YES ☒ NO

Nonpostal Services

- a. Picking up government forms (such as tax forms) ☐ YES ☒ NO
- b. Using for school bus stop ☐ YES ☒ NO
- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO
- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

☒ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

I pass one that is up next to my work ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~



3. If you have carrier delivery, there will be no change to your delivery service — proceed to question 4. If you currently receive Post Office box service or general delivery service, complete this section. How do you think carrier route delivery service will compare to your current service?

☐ Better

☐ Just as Good

☐ No Opinion

☒ Worse

If yes, please explain:

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these services?

- ☒ Shopping N. Hartford
- ☒ Personal needs New Hartford
- ☒ Banking New Hartford
- ☒ Employment Mary
- ☐ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Name: Michael Jones

Address: PO Box 151 Leonardville

Telephone: _____

Date: 5-9-11

Please add any additional comments on a separate piece of paper and attach it to this form. Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.

Since most of the membership of Leonardsville United Methodist Church ~~are~~ working today I have been asked to present the reasons why the Church opposes closing the Leonardsville Post Office.

The United States Postal Service is the major communication link to our members, friends and attendees many living out-of-the area or out-of-state. Through the postal service the Church notifies these individuals of coming events, activities and other items of interest. As with a business we receive billings and pay these bills by mail. Advertisements of fund raising activities are mailed to publishers of local newspapers. This Church is part of the United Methodist Conference centered in Syracuse N.Y. and much correspondence is received from and sent to them via the U.S.P.S. Supplies for office equipment, Sunday School and music department are mail ordered. These items are shipped to us by Parcel Post. If any of our mailings require special service (i.e. certified, registered, insured, certificate of mailing) it would require a special trip by a Church official to another post office. It would be difficult to plan the time required to complete such a transaction at a busier office. At today's gasoline prices it could be quite an expensive transaction. ~~Some residents~~ purchase money orders rather than travel out-of-town to a bank. Several ~~of~~ of our members ^{and residents} are elderly and some unable to drive to another post office - even as close as 5 mi.

They prefer to have their mail in a secure location not in a curbside box which would at times require maintenance, especially in the snowy winter months. The streets are narrow and present a problem for snow plows without the added presence of streetside boxes. These boxes also can be subjected to vandalism as recently happened in the Saugvoit, N.Y. area.

As a church we are concerned for the safe, secure receipt and delivery of mail at the local level.

April 26, 2011

To: Brian Shepardson
Manager, Post Office Operations
30 Karner Rd.
Albany, NY, 12288 – 9992

From: Lysle Jones, Fire Chief
Leonardsville Fire Company, Inc.
PO Box 185
Leonardsville, NY 13364 – 0185

Re: Possible closure of the Leonardsville Post Office

Dear Mr. Shepardson,

The Leonardsville Fire Company utilizes the Leonardsville Post Office for the following services:

- 1) Fire Company receives several packages monthly through this office
- 2) Fire Company mails out packages through this office
- 3) Fire Company mails out letters & payments of it's bills through this office
- 4) Purchase our postage stamps through this office
- 5) Receives and sends out registered / certified letters through this office
- 6) Utilize the Community bulletin board
- 7) Security In today's society, it's important that any packages being received are secure.

Closing of the Leonardsville Post Office will cause an undue hardship and inconvenience on the Leonardsville Fire Company. Closing the Leonardsville Post Office will force us to travel to the Bridgewater Post Office to obtain services from the USPS. Not only will this require more of our time, but, it also adds and additional fuel expense.

In closing, I am asking that the United States Postal Service keep the Leonardsville Post Office open.

Thank you for your time regarding this matter.

Sincerely,



Lysle Jones, Chief
Leonardsville Fire Company, Inc.

Upper Unadilla Valley Association Statement Against Closing the Leonardsville Post Office

The Upper Unadilla Valley Association (UUVA) opposes the proposed closing of the Leonardsville Post Office. The UUVA is a non-profit organization that has worked for more than three decades to protect and preserve the Upper Unadilla Valley's natural and historic resources.

The UUVA urges the U.S. Postal Service to keep the post office open for the community for the following reasons:

- It is our understanding that the post office takes in at least \$52,000 per year, indicating it is a busy rural postal operation. The post office provides a service for not just the box holders, but also for large numbers of people driving north toward Utica after working at the New York Central Mutual Insurance Company in Edmeston, as well as for those living over the river who actually have other zip codes.

This postal location helps those users save fuel. Requiring everyone to drive farther to send or pick up a package, buy stamps or use other postal services will only increase our use of energy. This is not a trend we should be pursuing.

- The UUVA uses the post office community board to post announcements of events during the year. It is one of the most effective ways to share such information with local residents.
- The UUVA also uses the Post Office for its mailings.
- Because the building is historic to Leonardsville, supporting its preservation fits with the UUVA's mission. More importantly, the post office provides a great use for such a building.

The post office is one of the last public entities of a once vibrant community. Closing it only serves to further harm the economy of rural Upstate New York. People tend to want to live where there are at least some basic services, and closing the post office will remove one of the last basic services available. It also will create one more empty building, which is may only help drive down local property values.

- The post office is essentially the last community meeting place left in Leonardsville. There is no other place for residents of all ages to regularly meet and greet each other daily or weekly.

Optional Comment Form

Following are comments I wish to make concerning the proposed discontinuance of the LEONARDSVILLE Post Office.

1. **Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services. *severely hurts*
The change to carrier service would make my book business, Hwy Road Books, making international mailing extremely difficult. I do not regularly pass the Bridgewater P.O. & special trips would be very costly in time & money.
2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

This proposal devastates our work to revitalize the town!

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

see attached.

ROBERTA WRATTEN *R. Wratten*
Name of Postal Customer Signature of Postal Customer
Box 182
Mailing Address
LEONARDSVILLE, NY 13364
City, State, and ZIP Code Date

USPS Tactics in PO Closings Lead Leonardsville Residents To Request An Immediate Moratorium

Customers of the Leonardsville Post Office are outraged at the tactics the USPS is using to close their historic Post Office and many other small and rural Post Offices which the USPS claims are losing money. They are urging the Chairman of the Postal Regulatory Commission, the Honorable Ruth Goldway, to place an IMMEDIATE MORATORIUM on the closings of small and rural post offices until the USPS can resolve its bigger problems for which small post offices are being made scapegoats.

Research shows it is illegal to close small or rural post offices solely for financial reasons. USPS's only written criteria for closing small post offices is: "Management initiated study to determine if regular and effective service can be provide (sic) through alternate channels." A majority of affected customers do not agree.

The USPS has spent a lot of time and money to develop tactics and procedures which look democratic but only serve their interest in closing small and rural post offices in the name of saving a minuscule part of their deficit.

A retired local Postmaster quoted facts and figures from recent PO reports. "The USPS is the only governmental agency that must 'pre-pay' retirement funding and if the USPS would only use the overpayments which have been set aside for them (approximately \$70 billion), they would not have to take small "economic steps" like the closing of small and rural post offices. It is no secret that the closing of small post offices would result in a savings of only .07%!!!"

The USPS is asking the Leonardsville customers to accept rural carrier delivery or take a box at the Bridgewater Post Office, 5 miles away. Although rural boxes will be acceptable to some, many local citizens and businesses who rely on post office transactions on a daily basis must now drive or find a driver for the weekly 60 miles, round-trip, if they are to get the services they need.

Customers were told a few weeks ago that they were on a "study list" for possible closure. They were issued "questionnaires" about how a change of service would affect them. However, the questions were slanted in such a way that the USPS could interpret the answers as favorable toward post office closure in favor rural carrier service.

A local USPS rep, Mr. Brian Shepardson called a meeting to hear local concerns. This meeting was held on Friday morning, April 29th, during holiday vacation time for some, and a work-day for most of the customers, although a few people took time off to express their concerns, speak up for the many who could not attend, and make suggestions. Another meeting was requested, at a time when more could attend. This request has been ignored.

On Friday, May 13th, a "Proposal to Close" letter and responses to "local concerns" were posted in a single, lengthy document to be available at the Post Office (behind the window), and a shorter version, still impractical to read while getting your mail, was posted on the bulletin board. Letters were sent to customers about some of their individual concerns. However, the USPS chose only to respond to concerns which were favorable to their own interest; concerns and suggestions that did not serve the USPS drive to close the PO were merely "added to the official record."

A local business person commented at the April meeting "Doesn't the USPS see that it is shooting itself in the foot? They are only going to lose more business by making it more difficult to get postal services. Without a local post office, we will turn to the phone, the internet and other carriers."

Leonardsville postal customers are writing to Ruth Goldway, Chairman of the Postal Regulatory Commission, to ask for an IMMEDIATE MORATORIUM on the closings of small and rural post offices. According to a NYS retired postmaster and high official of the group's NAPUS organization, "Ms. Goldway isn't happy with many of the things that the USPS has done. She spoke to us in Washington DC at our Legislative Conference. I feel that she will do all that she can to keep the small offices open."

Unfortunately, a few members of the community say: "It's a done deal. They want to close the PO and we don't count." It would be great to show that democracy can still be alive and well in the US. We should work to make that happen.

Leonardsville citizens urge customers of all other post offices threatened with closure to write Chairman Goldway urging her to put forth an IMMEDIATE MORATORIUM on closings until it can be determined if these rampant closings and consolidations are truly warranted.

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Unless I travel to a nearby office (5 mi.) one way, I cannot make inquiries about type of mailing containers I need and be able to determine correct size, etc by actually seeing these. Perhaps the carrier will have samples with him. If I rent a box at Bridgewater will I retain my current box number?

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

The locations suggested for a bulletin board are on the outskirts of town whereas the Post Office is in the center and easily accessed. Has anyone inquired if these alternant locations would allow such an information board to be erected or even if such location would have needed space?

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

What will the cost be to establish a rural route out of Bridgewater? Will this raise the office level resulting in a salary grade increase for the Postmaster? Will the carrier work for "free"? I doubt if \$3,803 is an accurate replacement cost.

Jean C. Davis

Jean C. Davis

Name of Postal Customer

Signature of Postal Customer

P.O. Box 86

Mailing Address

Leonardsville, N.Y. 13364-0086

City, State, and ZIP Code

5/18/11
Date

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1. **Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services.

A box in front my house would be inviting to pranksters and even town plans to damage. Going to Bridgewater to get mail is not feasible when we could go to Berabfield which is closer especially with the price of gas. That's even common sense!

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

Without our post office and the closing of our school what's left in our town? I worry about the Veterans receiving their medicines on time. And to B.S. about it.

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

If closing our Post Office do to financial problems why not get rid of some of the High Paying Executives in the system who do nothing but line their pockets!

Name of Postal Customer

JAMES GOULD

Signature of Postal Customer

James Gould

Mailing Address

PO Box 173 EAST CENTER ST

5-19-11

City, State, and ZIP Code

LEONARDSVILLE NJ 13314

Date

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an RD box by my drive way would be a plus, however I am sure our mail delivery both from sender to my door will take much longer than we now have.

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

It is the only service we now have thus Leonardsville will not even be a "whistle stop".

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

Leonardsville will certainly not be a "drawing card" to any business or resident looking for personal mail service.

Ernestine C. Williams (a resident for 95 years)
Ernestine C. Williams

Name of Postal Customer

Signature of Postal Customer

1815 Hillside ave. PO Box 166

Mailing Address

Leonardsville, N. Y. 13364

City, State, and ZIP Code

5/20/11

Date

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1. **Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services.

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

*Unfavorable - loss of convenience - Loss of safety in P.O. Box security
② unable to access postal system on 121 basis
③ availability for mailing, stamps etc.*

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

Melinda Ward

Name of Postal Customer

Melinda Ward

Signature of Postal Customer

P.O. Box 64

Mailing Address

Leonardsville, New York 13364

City, State, and ZIP Code

5-23-11

Date

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Following are comments I wish to make concerning the proposed discontinuance of the LEONARDSVILLE Post Office.

- Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services.
at \$4+ per gal. of gas, driving to Bridgewater seems wasteful compared to the system already in place. Installing and maintaining RR boxes seems an unsafe and unfeasible alternative given the fact that many elderly residents would be unable to access their mailboxes in the winter.
- Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community. Our P.O. is the heart and soul of this community. Several new and proposed businesses are depending on the PO for their success and will almost certainly choose to use internet and other private carriers before they will drive 10 miles to another P.O.
- Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.
Rather than closing rural PO's, USPS should focus on trimming administrative overhead and using some of the billions in accumulated overpayments already in their retirees health benefit fund to decrease their deficits. There should be an IMMEDIATE MORATORIUM on rural PO closings until the Regulatory Commission can make a study to see if they are truly warranted. KINGSLEY WRATTEN Kingsley Wratten

Name of Postal Customer

PO BOX 182

Signature of Postal Customer

Mailing Address

LEONARDSVILLE NY 13364

5/16/11

City, State, and ZIP Code

Date

note:
Kingsley Wratten
is the
Lessor

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1. **Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services.

FOR BOTH INDIVIDUALS AND SMALL INDEPENDENT OWNER BUSINESSES WHO RELY ON THE POST FOR BOTH DELIVERY AND SHIPPING - THE CLOSING OF LITTLE P.O. WOULD IMPOSE ADDED COSTS OF BOTH TIME AND MONEY TO ALREADY STRESSED ECONOMIES TO FACILITATE PROMPT PICK-UP AND DELIVER

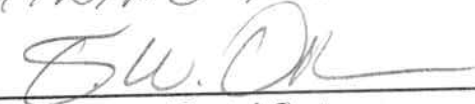
2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

IN STRUGGLING RURAL ECONOMIES, IT CAN ONLY BE VIEWED AS YET ANOTHER BLOW AFTER SCHOOL CLOSINGS, BUSINESS CLOSINGS - CAUSING THE COMMUNITY TO FEEL FORGOTTEN, LEFT OUT BY THE GOVERNMENT MEANT TO SERVE THE PEOPLE INSTITUTIONS

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

THE POSTAL SERVICE SHOULD TAKE A STAND TO RETAIN A "FOOT HOLD" IN RURAL COMMUNITIES TO SUPPORT AND BE A PARTNER WITH THE PEOPLE IN THE LOCAL GRASS ROOTS MOVEMENT TO ESTABLISH AND PROMOTE A SELF-SUSTAINING FUTURE,

T. W. OATMAN



Name of Postal Customer

Signature of Postal Customer

P.O. BOX 199

Mailing Address

LEONARDSVILLE, N.Y. 13364

5.25.11

City, State, and ZIP Code

Date

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1. **Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services.

The post office is a safe place for our mail. We don't have the worry of mail being stolen as we will if we use mail boxes on our lawns.

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

There is the expense of buying a mailbox & post to put it on, not to mention that there are a lot of elderly people in this community that aren't able to put one up. and wouldn't be able to catch the mailman to ask for anything.

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

I don't see the benefit of giving up a perfectly good building used for community service that's been here for years. People here like the post office. It's a gathering place for short visits of neighbors as well as business. It's friendly & run very well.

Fred & Dorothy

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Curtis

Name of Postal Customer

Dorothy Curtis

Signature of Postal Customer

PO Box 77

Mailing Address

Leonardsville NY 13364

City, State, and ZIP Code

5-25-2011

Date

There is always a smiling face to answer any question one may have relating to mail of all sorts, cost, & supplies when we need something i.e. stamps, boxes mailing envelopes, etc.

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1. **Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services.

Due to a busy work schedule it is important to have access to my postal services close to home, in Leonardsville.

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

Without a post office it would become a less desirable community to live in, possibly lowering real estate values in the area.

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

Leonardsville is a community with great potential for growth and keeping a post office here is important to promote that growth.

Daniel J. Zinger

Name of Postal Customer

Daniel J. Zinger

Signature of Postal Customer

PO Box 58

Mailing Address

Leonardsville, NY 13364

City, State, and ZIP Code

5/27/11

Date

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1. **Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services.

Cost of Gas is going up maybe they
Should deliver mail to each and Everyone!


2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

This Community Relies on this important
Service.

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

Cut Spending in other ways - Government Spending
Has tooooo! STOP.

Richard McNamara
Name of Postal Customer
PO Box 169


Signature of Postal Customer

Mailing Address

Leonardsville NY 13364
City, State, and ZIP Code

Date

6/7/2011

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MY HECTIC SCHEDULE AND MY WIFE'S WOULD KEEP US FROM OUR MAIL IF MY POST OFFICE WASN'T SO CLOSE I/WE WOULD HAVE TO GO 8 MILES ROUND TRIP TO GET MAIL EVERY DAY.
2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community. *OUR POST OFFICE KEEPS THE COMMUNITY IN TOUCH WITH EACH OTHER, MAKES COMMUNITY A BETTER PLACE TO LIVE.*
3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.
HAVING A LOCAL POST OFFICE MAKES LEONARDSVILLE A MORE DESIRABLE PLACE FOR PEOPLE TO MOVE INTO FROM OTHER AREAS, CAUSING GROWTH.

Michael T Gregory
Name of Postal Customer

Michael T Gregory
Signature of Postal Customer

PO Box 114
Mailing Address

LEONARDSVILLE NY 13364
City, State, and ZIP Code

6/3/17
Date



Postal Service Customer Questionnaire

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f. Buying money orders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
g. Obtaining special services, including Certified Mail, Registered Mail, Insured Mail, Delivery Confirmation, or Signature Confirmation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
h. Sending Express Mail	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
i. Buying stamp-collecting material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Other Postal Services

- a. Entering permit mailings ☐ YES ☒ NO
- b. Resetting/using postage meter ☐ YES ☒ NO

Nonpostal Services

- a. Picking up government forms (such as tax forms) ☒ YES ☐ NO
- b. Using for school bus stop ☐ YES ☒ NO
- c. Assisting senior citizens, persons with disabilities, etc. ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain:

- d. Using public bulletin board ☒ YES ☐ NO
- e. Other ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, please explain:

2. Do you pass another Post Office during business hours while traveling to or from work, or shopping, or for personal needs?

I use the Leonardsville post office
pass the NH one

☒ YES ☐ NO



- If you have carrier delivery, there will be no change to your delivery service — proceed to question 4. If you currently receive
3. Post Office box service or general delivery service, complete this section. How do you think carrier route delivery service
will compare to your current service?

☐ Better ☐ Just as Good ☐ No Opinion ☒ Worse

If yes, please explain:

4. For which of the following do you leave your community? (Check all that apply.) Where do you go to obtain these
services?

☐ Shopping
☒ Personal needs
☐ Banking
☐ Employment
☐ Social needs

5. Do you currently use local businesses in the community?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, would you continue to use them if the Post Office is discontinued?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Name: Ted Howard

Address: 2338 Cty Hgwy 20 West Edmeston

Telephone: 315-520-3491

Date: 6-27-11

Please add any additional comments on a separate piece of paper and attach it to this form. Thank you for taking the time to
complete this questionnaire.

June 13 2011

Dear Ms. Tremblay,

Enclosed please find some more comments from the Leonardsville P.O. Customers.

I would also like to add, for the record, that we requested another meeting with a postal representative to be scheduled so that more 13364 Customers might attend (possibly a Saturday morning) and at a more convenient place than the Post Office (perhaps the Methodist church). This request was made at Fire Hall

in person to Brian Shepardson at the April 29th meeting and in writing.
Thank you.

Kingsley Whitten
PO Box 1182
Leonardsville N.Y.
13364

Optional Comment Form

ITEM NO. 38

Following are comments I wish to make concerning the proposed discontinuance of the
LEONARDSVILLE Post Office.

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1. **Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services.

I will not be able to send the kids up to get mail
- can't drive - or won't be able to walk the
kids to post office (our small outing) It's the one
outing most of us enjoy around here. I'm
sure we'll see less activity on sidewalks.

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

It will be a nuisance to have to travel to
do postal business and receive personal
assistance. Computers are not people friendly a
not every house has one in rural areas like
ourselves. So I don't need the USPS.com respo.

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

I think you can eliminate the postmaster and
use this as a hub of bridgewater. She would then
over see Leonardsville and schedule a PMR to
work window. Like Edmeston does for the 8 box

Name of Postal Customer

Signature of Postal Customer

Mailing Address

City, State, and ZIP Code

Date

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WEST
Burling
It's
a win

Optional Comment Form

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1. **Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services.

I use the post office everyday mon-Sat
so convenient its on the way home from work.

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

I would have to drive further
The Edmeston post office where I work
closes at 4:00 don't have time to get there

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

I think you should keep the post office
should stay open.

If you have to cut back then keep it open 3 days
a week.

Amanda Effner

Name of Postal Customer

Amanda Effner

Signature of Postal Customer

PO Box 31

Mailing Address

Leonardsville NY 13364

City, State, and ZIP Code

7-13-2011

Date

Optional Comment Form

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1. **Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services.

I have had rural carrier service before & it does NOT WORK for my business or the other businesses in town. 10 1/2 MILES daily is cruel to the nearest post office!

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

No post office will close businesses & new ones will choose to go elsewhere. In my original letter (hidden w/in your 500 page report only) I stated that a new medical records business was starting in Leonardsville. Already, that business has relocated!

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

We need & deserve a post office with a postmaster!

R. Wratten

ROBERTA WRATTEN

Name of Postal Customer

Signature of Postal Customer

Box 182

Mailing Address

13364

City, State, and ZIP Code

June 16, 2011

Date

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Following are comments I wish to make concerning the proposed discontinuance of the LEONARDSVILLE Post Office.

1. **Effect on Your Postal Services.** Describe any favorable or unfavorable effects you believe the proposal would have on the regularity or effectiveness of your postal services.

The unfavorable effects would be that of inconvenience and community pride. We don't have a lot going on in our hamlet. Our P.O. is something we enjoy (see folks we may not see often) and a thing to be proud of.

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

One more loss - each loss [school (geo. etc. store) + gas station which burned)] makes our community die a little. Also - who wants to move to a place which doesn't even have a P.O.

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

Why is our P.O. probably going to be closed when the West Burlington P.O., which only has 8 post office box customers is open? That doesn't sound fair or efficient.

Carol C. C. Lewis

Name of Postal Customer

Signature of Postal Customer

Carol C. C. Lewis

Mailing Address

PO Box 34

City, State, and ZIP Code

Leonardsville, N.Y.

Date

6-29-11

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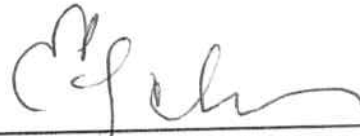
Personal Service -

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

Leonardsville PO is the only service available

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

EMILIA SERRAOS



Name of Postal Customer

Signature of Postal Customer

PO Box 153

Mailing Address

Leonardsville NY

6/17/11

City, State, and ZIP Code

Date

13364

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A lot of people would have to go to the nearest post office to mail packages,

2. **Effect on Your Community.** Please describe any favorable or unfavorable effects that you believe the proposal would have on your community.

I would not be able to get my medicine. I would have to go 20 miles to get it.

3. **Other Comments.** Please provide any other views or information that you believe the Postal Service should consider in deciding whether to adopt the proposal.

there is a lot of older people that the closing would hurt.

Margaret Hughes

Name of Postal Customer

Margaret Hughes

Signature of Postal Customer

PO # 22

Mailing Address

Leonardsville, New York 13364

City, State, and ZIP Code

6/22/11

Date

Postal Service Customer Questionnaire Analysis

Questionnaires were distributed to all delivery customers of the LEONARDSVILLE Post Office on 04/20/2011. Additionally, during the survey period, questionnaires were available at the LEONARDSVILLE Post Office to walk-in retail customers.

1. Number of Questionnaires

Total questionnaires distributed	137
Favorable to proposal	7
Unfavorable to proposal	29
Expressing no opinion	19
Total questionnaires received	55

Postal Concerns

The following postal concerns were expressed:

1. Concern (No Opinion):
Customer expressed a concern about obtaining services from the carrier.

Response:

Retail services provided at the post office are available from the carrier. Most transactions do not require meeting the carrier at the mailbox. Stamps by Mail and Money Order Application forms are available for customer convenience. Listed below are some services available from the carrier and how to obtain them. PURCHASING STAMPS BY MAIL: The Stamps by Mail Program provides customers the opportunity to purchase stamps, envelopes, and postal cards by using Form 3227-R, Stamp Purchase Order (Rural), available from the post office or the carrier. Commemorative stamps and stamp collecting products are also available. The customer addresses the postage paid order form envelope, encloses payment by personal check or postal money order made payable to the US Postal Service, and mails the form (postage-free) or leaves it in the mailbox for the carrier to pick up. Most orders are processed overnight, and some immediately. PURCHASING POSTAL MONEY ORDERS: Customers may purchase money orders by meeting the carrier at the mailbox, completing an application, and paying the carrier (in cash) the price of the money order, plus the fee. The carrier gives the customer a receipt for the application. The money order is completed when the carrier returns to the post office, and a money order receipt is left in the customer's mailbox on the next delivery day. Most customers provide the carrier with a stamped, self-addressed envelope in which the completed money order is mailed to its destination. If customers prefer, the completed money orders will be returned for verification on the next delivery day. SPECIAL SERVICES: Special services such as certified, registered, Express Mail, delivery confirmation, signature confirmation, and COD may be obtained from the carrier by leaving a note in the mailbox, along with the appropriate payment. The carrier will provide the services that day and leave a customer receipt in the mailbox on the next delivery day. HOLDING MAIL: Customers who will be away for an extended time, such as a vacation, may request that their mail be held at the post office during their absence. Upon return the customer asks the post office to resume delivery.

2. Concern (No Opinion):
Customer expressed a concern about package delivery and pickup.

Response:

Rural carriers will deliver packages that fit in your rural mail box. If the package does not fit in the mail box, the carrier will deliver the package up to 1/2 mile off of the line of travel, at a designated place, such as on your porch or under a carport.

3. Concern (No Opinion):
Customer expressed concern about safety of location of Bridgewater Post Office.

Response:

Services provided at the post office will be available from the carrier, and customers will not have to travel to another post office for service. Most transactions do not require meeting the carrier at the mailbox. Stamps by Mail and Money Order Application forms are available for customer convenience.

4. Concern (No Opinion):
Customer submitted a summary of meeting notes.

Response:

Your notes have been entered into the official record.

5. Concern (No Opinion):
Customer suggested it's likely more people would use the facility if window hours were changed for earlier and later periods each day. This could be done on alternate days, reducing overall daily postal hours to save costs.

Response:

Your suggestion has been duly noted and added to the official record.

6. Concern (No Opinion):
Customer was concerned that questions on the survey do not address many of the customers issues which are best addressed in person.

Response:

Your letter dated April 29, 2011, and mailed April 30, 2011, has been entered into the official record for the feasibility study of the Leonardsville Post Office. Your letter highlights a unique probability of increased volume/revenue from revitalization programs and The Hiram Dorset sponsorship of the artists' residency program.

7. Concern (No Opinion):
Customers expressed concern about having to erect a rural mailbox.

Response:

Customers are not required to erect rural mailboxes. Customers may receive PO Box service from the administrative Post Office located 3.0 miles away.

8. Concern (No Opinion):
Customers expressed concern for loss of community identity.

Response:

A community's identity derives from the interest and vitality of its residents and their use of its name. The Postal Service is helping to preserve community identity by continuing the use of the suspended Post Office name and ZIP Code in addresses and in the National Five-Digit ZIP Code and Post Office Directory.

Concern (No Opinion):



08/29/2011

KINGSLEY WRATTEN
PO BOX 182
LEONARDSVILLE, NY 13364

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In response to your letter:

- Customers are not required to erect rural mailboxes. Customers may receive PO Box service from the administrative Post Office located 5.0 miles away.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Michelle Krul".

MICHELLE KRUL
Manager, Post Office Operations
30 Karner Rd
Albany, NY, 12288-9992



08/29/2011

ROBERTA WRATTEN
PO BOX 182
LEONARDSVILLE, NY 13364

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- Customers are not required to erect rural mailboxes. Customers may receive PO Box service from the administrative Post Office located 5.0 miles away.
- Please contact the administrative postmaster to determine the proper mailbox location and installation method that would help alleviate this concern. Placing the mailbox on a long, swinging, horizontal pipe is one method often used to avoid damage by snowplows.

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MICHELLE KRUL
Manager, Post Office Operations
30 Karner Rd
Albany, NY, 12288-9992



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WENDY BARRETT
PO BOX 220
LEONARDSVILLE, NY 13364

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LEONARDSVILLE, NY 13364

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